

Peace at home, peace online:

straight talk for parents, kids about online communities

You may not know what MySpace and Facebook are, but chances are your middle school and high school kids do.

And in many cases, your children may be revealing some very personal information about themselves — and your entire family — to thousands of strangers who share in these online “communities.”

Please join us for two free seminars — one for parents, one for kids — that shouldn't be missed:

Parents will learn how to:

- **Understand** the technology your kids are using
- **Decipher** the chat codes that kids use on their computers and cell phones
- **Talk** to your kids so they understand the importance of being safe and smart
- **Realize** that predators find kids through online gaming, too

Kids (ages 10 and up) will learn how:

- **Security settings** don't keep all the "bad people" from checking out your profile
- **Online solicitation** happens to kids right here in the Brazos Valley
- **Photos & personal info** can put you and your friends in danger

For parents:

Monday, June 12, 6 p.m.-8 p.m.
Bryan Public Library
201 East 26th Street
Free admission and refreshments
979.209.5470

For kids:

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